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Client-Matter No.: 66752-026 (P-HR 5615)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Yeaman and Shen)
Serial No: 09/648,816)
Filed: August 25, 2000)
For: ANTIMICROBIAL PEPTIDES)
AND DERIVED METAPEPTIDES)

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